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Docket No.: 046555-0028

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Brett A. LATIMER, et al. : Confirmation Number: 7815  
Application No.: 10/635,896 : Group Art Unit: 3676  
Filed: August 07, 2003 : Examiner: Williams, Mark A.  
For: LOCKING HINGE FOR FOLDING LADDER

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 25, 2006, now due to expire October 25, 2006, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on November 25, 2006.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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